



Note: From 11th September to 26th September, all visitors wishing to taste wine at the cellar doors on the weekends will need to purchase a wine festival tasting glass. These are available at Mudgee Visitors Centre and at various cellar doors.



What's On This Week in the Mudgee Region 27th Sept - 4th Oct

Mudgee Visitor Information Centre

84 Market Street MUDGEE NSW 2850 • 02 6372 1020

Gulgong Visitor Information Centre

66 Herbert Street GULGONG NSW 2852 • 02 6374 2691

Rylstone Visitor Information Centre

Louee Street RYLSTONE NSW 2849 • 02 6379 0790

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Arts & Craft Exhibitions

Running Until Oct 3rd, 2010 (Sun)

Cudgegong Collection Exhibition @ Sajo's

22 Church Street Mudgee

This exhibition includes many different mediums including Photoshop art, photography and jewellery.

For further information please contact 02 6372 2722.

Running Until Oct 3rd, 2010 (Sun) 10:00 AM

Still Harvest Exhibition @ Vinifera Wines

194 Henry Lawson Drive Mudgee

See talented local artist Anne Flynn's works at Vinifera. Whilst you are there try some of their Spanish style wines or their sublime Easter Semillon 'sticky'. For further information please call 02 6372 2461.

Running Until Oct 31st, 2010 (Sun)

Indigenous Art Show @ Burnbrae Winery and Vineyard

548 Hill End Road, Mudgee

For the 5th year, Gundooee paintings are on show from the Western Desert, exhibiting internationally recognised artists. All works are for sale. For further information please call 6373 3504.

Running Until Oct 31st, 2010 (Sun)

Standing Stones - Simon Reece @ Cudgegong Gallery

102 Herbert Street Gulgong

Solo Exhibition of ceramics by Simon Reece. 'Standing stones or megaliths were erected across the globe by ancient people and were used in various rites and ceremonies, often aligned with the sun, moon or stars' Simon Reece.

For more information contact 02 6374 1630.

Running Until Oct 31st, 2010 (Sun)

Glenys Mann Solo Textile Exhibition @ Cudgegong Gallery

102 Herbert Street, Gulgong

Glenys's way of thinking was changed when the Black Saturday Victorian bush fires ravaged the state in February 2009. Her son and his young family lost

everything in the fires.

For more information please call 02 6374 1630.

About 'Sensory Perfection'

The Mudgee Region tagline and logo was developed in consultation with the local community and supported by careful research to find out why visitors love our Region.

The five icons (and tagline) relate to the five senses and how they are often experienced by visitors to Mudgee.

The senses are represented as:

see

natural/farmed environment (grasses)

hear

music - man made/birdsong/silence (treble clef)

smell

wine (wineglass)

taste

food (plate)

touch

emotional response (heart)

The colours of the logo are the colours of the sky, earth and vegetation we see around us, and we have presented a contemporary style (our sophisticated side!) without forgetting the things that make the Region special - natural beauty, fresh air, space and the friendliness of the people.

For more information contact 02 6379 1118.

Oct 2nd, 2010 (Sat) -- Oct 3rd, 2010 (Sun)

Susie Q Performs @ Pieter van Gent Winery

Blacksprings Rd, Mudgee

Don't miss Suzie Q performing live at Pieter van Gent Winery & Vineyard. Suzie will be performing between 12-3pm on Saturday 18th September and Saturday 25th September. Cheese platters will be available from 12 - 3 during the wine festival.

For further information please call 02 6373 3030.

Oct 3rd, 2010 (Sun) 9:00 AM - 5:20 AM

Train trip from Gulgong to Dunedoo and Back

Take the train to Dunedoo and be part of the festivities of the railway centenary celebrations during the day. There will be markets, displays and train rides. The day concludes with a train ride back to Gulgong, leaving Dunedoo at 4.30pm.

For further information please contact 02 6373 3626.

Oct 4th, 2010 (Mon) 9:30 AM

Train trip to Wollar and return

Travel on the CPH rail motors from Gulgong to Wollar and back.

For further information please phone 02 6373 3626.

Every Saturday 7:00 PM

Pool Comp @ CLUB Mudgee

99 Mortimer Street, Mudgee

For further information please call 02 6372 1922.

Running Until Oct 4th, 2010 (Mon) 10:00 AM - 4:00 AM

The Power of 3 Exhibition @The Stables Gallery

84 Market Street Mudgee.

This is the second exhibition by the local Ceramic Focus Group, with the theme "The Power of Three" with each artist having to present at least one piece of work suitable for a wall hanging, along with a collection of their own individual styles. The exhibition will be officially opened by Merryn Spencer, regional Arts Development officer with Orana Arts at 6PM

Sep 30th, 2010 (Thu) -- Oct 4th, 2010 (Mon) 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Fashion Opportunity @ Fairview Artspace

6 Henry Lawson Drive Mudgee.

There will be retro, antique and preloved women's clothing, bags, jewellery and other goodies for perusal and purchase.

For further information please call 02 6372 2850.

Every Day 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Mark it with a 'B' jewellery @ Botobolar Winery

89 Botobolar Road Mudgee

Looking for that perfect gift or indulgence along with delicious wine? Botobolar Winery now has a great display of hand created sterling jewellery, gifts and accessories for you to buy.

For further information please call 02 6373 3840.

Oct 2nd, 2010 (Sat) -- Oct 3rd, 2010 (Sun)

Festival of Yesteryear @ AREC

Ulan Rd Mudgee

The Festival of Yesteryear is a celebration of the way things were done, with the things we had back then. The aim is for exhibitors to create a snapshot of all the aspects of their area of interest in their display. There is a prize for Best Club Exhibit and Best Individual Exhibit. There is camping available with power. There will be entertainment and dinner available on Saturday night.

For registration and further enquiries please contact 02 6372 3899 or visit www.cvmac.com.au

Eating Out

Every Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 12-2:30pm

Italian Regional Tasting Platters @ di Lusso Estate

Eurunderee Lane, Mudgee

Keep the wolf from the door until dinner with delicious regional tasting plates with an Italian flavour at di Lusso Estate. What better way to relax and indulge! \$15 per plate (includes a tasting glass of a matching di Lusso wine). For further information please call 02 6373 3125.

Every Wednesday -- Monday

Mezze Plates @ Elliot Roche Estate

Craigmoor Road Mudgee

Try a Mezze plate made from local produce from producers such as Angela's Edibles and Ormiston Pork.

For further information please call 02 6372 7722.

Running Until Oct 5th, 2010 (Mon) 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Tasting Platters @ Frog Rock Wines

Edgell Lane, Mudgee

Complimentary tasting platters throughout Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays all throughout the September Wine Festival. Open 7 days a week.

For further information please call 6372 2408.

Sep 29th, 2010 (Wed)

Hot and Spicy Wednesdays @ The Muse

137 Mayne Street Gulgong

The Muse Brasserie will feature a Hot and Spicy Wednesday menu with favourite curries and winter warmers.

For further information and bookings please call 02 6374 2687.

Every Thursday, Friday & Saturday 5:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Takeaway Pizza @ Roths Wine Bar

Market Street Mudgee

Fancy a takeaway pizza tonight? Why not drop in to Roth's Wine Bar and grab yourself one. While you are there select a nice bottle of local wine to go with it from their extensive menu to complement your dining experience.

To place your order please call 02 6372 1222.

Oct 2nd, 2010 (Sat) -- Oct 3rd, 2010 (Sun) 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM
Quintessential Italian Master Cooking Class @ Blacklea Vineyard

Alexander Rd Mudgee

Well known Sydney Executive Chef, Nathan White will present the second in a series of Master Cooking Classes. The course features 4 Italian inspired courses, matched with Blacklea wines. The classes are limited to 14 and are held in the new olive processing facility and Cucina School at Blacklea. Participants will receive a complete recipe folder and a complimentary bottle of Blacklea wine. The cost is \$140 per person. For further information please contact 02 6373 3366 or email blackleavineyard@bigpond.com

Oct 2nd, 2010 (Sat) 4:30 PM

Train trip from Gulgong to Dunedoo and Back

Join the train at Gulgong and head to Dunedoo. Be bussed to the Dunedoo Bowling Club, have a 3 course meal and take part in a Murder Mystery Night. Return by bus to your train and take an evening train ride back to Gulgong. All this for only \$75 per person. For further enquiries please phone 02 6373 3626.

Oct 2nd, 2010 (Sat)

Live Music @ Thistle Hill

74 McDonalds Road Mudgee

Enjoy the music of "for the love of music" from 12:30 on the deck...create your own cheese platter and sit back and soak in the views with a glass of premium organic wine.

For further information please call 02 6373 3400.

Oct 2nd, 2010 (Sat) -- Oct 3rd, 2010 (Sun)

Live music @ Rylstone Hotel

62 Louee St, Rylstone

Loud and live music courtesy of Audio Riot on Saturday 2nd October and Sunday the 3rd of October before the NRL Grand final.

Entertainment & Activities

Every Day

Croquet @ Vinifera Wines

194 Henry Lawson Drive, Mudgee

Croquet by the Vines - come and enjoy a glass of wine at Vinifera Wines whilst playing a game of Croquet.

For further information please call 02 6372 2461.

Every Wednesday 7:PM

Free Movies @ Roths Wine Bar

Market Street, Mudgee

Free movies shown on a large 3X3 metre screen and a professional sound system to rival any cinema. Bring your own bean bags and blankets, or the use the table and chairs provided. \$10 Pizza's & Tapas will be available and table service is provided.

For more information contact Roth's Wine Bar on 02 6372 1222.

Every Thursday 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Trivia Night @ Roth's Wine Bar

30 Market Street, Mudgee

Starting at 7pm with \$10 pizzas available for trivia players. Prizes for the winners.

For further information please call 02 6372 1222.

Oct 2nd, 2010 (Sat) 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Church Markets @ St Johns Anglican Church

Held in the grounds of the Anglican Church, cnr Church and Market Sts

Mudgee. Local produce, arts & crafts, second hand stalls, and much more.

For further information call 6372 2336 or 0419 162 596.

Every Friday, Saturday & Sunday

Tapas @ Vinifera Wines

194 Henry Lawson Dr, Mudgee

Visit Vinifera Wines and enjoy a Tapas plate, while playing croquet.

Cost \$18 per plate, or \$23 per plate with a glass of wine.

For further information call 02 6372 2461.

Every Friday, Saturday & Sunday 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Coffee & Cake @ Fairview Artspace

Cnr Henry Lawson Drive and Ulan Road, Mudgee

Relax in the sunny courtyard or on the open veranda whilst enjoying our tea, coffee and homemade cakes. Live local bush music on the afternoon of the last Sunday of every month.

For further information please call 02 6372 2850.

Oct 2nd, 2010 (Sat) -- Oct 3rd, 2010 (Sun) 8:00 AM

Breakfast and Brunch @ The Muse Brasserie

137 Mayne Street Gulgong

The Muse are now open for breakfast and brunch. Treat yourself!

For further information please call 02 6374 2687.

Every Saturday & Sunday 12:00 PM - 2:30 PM

Wine Makers Lunch @ di Lusso Estate

Eurunderee Lane, Mudgee

By popular request - di Lusso Estate invites you to visit our cellar door and kitchen, where we offer a wine tasting of some of Australia's finest Italian varietal wines. Prices range from \$20 to \$35 for one or two courses (less for children). For further information and bookings please call 02 6373 3125.

Oct 2nd, 2010 (Sat) -- Oct 3rd, 2010 (Sun) 12:00 PM

Ten Year Celebration @ Farmers Daughter Wines

791 Ulan Road Mudgee

Farmers Daughter Wines are celebrating 10 years of business and invite you to their famous BBQ lunch and be entertained by Black Rose and friends.

For further information please call 02 6373 3177.

Oct 2nd, 2010 (Sat) 7:00 PM

Lebanese Long Table Dinner @ Deeb's Kitchen

Corner of Cassilis Rd and Buckaroo Lane, Mudgee

Join us for this special three course Lebanese meal, cost is \$60 per person, BYO, for bookings call 6373 3133.

Every Saturday 7:00 PM

Thai Night @ Butcher Shop Cafe

Church Street, Mudgee

Every Saturday night, delicious authentic Thai - set menu. BYO and bookings essential. For more information call 02 6372 7373.

Oct 2nd, 2010 (Sat)

Winemakers Table @ Lowe Wine

327 Tinja Lane Mudgee

Casual and entertaining night with winemaker David Lowe as host. Be fed and watered with new releases, old museum releases, tall stories and exaggerated claims. Cost is \$88 per person. For further information or bookings please phoe 02 6372 0800 or email sales@lowewine.com.au

Oct 2nd, 2010 (Sat)

A Progressive Lunch with Mudgee Wine and Country Tours

Mudgee Wine and Country Tours now offer a fabulous and informative Progressive Lunch on the first Saturday of each month. The itinerary includes morning tea and wine tasting at Moothi Estate, a winery tour and tasting at Bunnamagoo Estate Wines, wine tasting and lunch at Robert Oatley Vineyards, wine and cheese matching at Huntington Estate, and beer tasting or tea/coffee at the Mudgee Brewing Company to finish the day. \$90 per person. For further information and bookings, please call 02 6372 2367 or 0407 204 150 www.mudgeewinetours.com.au

Oct 2nd, 2010 (Sat) -- Oct 4th, 2010 (Mon)

Seafood and Semillon Festival @ Lawson Park Hotel

1 Church St Mudgee

Another of "The Lawson's" great community charity fundraising events. For further information please phone 02 6372 2183.

Oct 2nd, 2010 (Sat) 5:00 PM

Sunset Sippings @ Moothi Estate

Rocky Waterhole Road Mudgee

Watch the sun go down over Mudgee from the best possible vantage point. Enjoy award winning wines along with gourmet canapés and live music in a relaxed and friendly atmosphere. \$15pp (group discounts available).

For bookings please call 02 6372 2925.

Oct 3rd, 2010 (Sun)

Essentials of Organics Tour @ Thistle Hill

74 McDonalds Road Mudgee

Take a 1 1/2 hour guided tour with Michael Slater, 2009 winner of Australia and New Zealand's Best Organic Wine. Come armed with all those questions you've always wondered about organic wine and how it is made. Cost is \$20 per person and includes a cheese platter. Bookings are essential.

For further information please call 02 6373 3400.

Every Day

High Valley Wine & Cheese Co

137 Ulan Road, Mudgee

Here at the beautiful High Valley Cellar Door and Cheese Factory you can taste our wines and cheeses at the tasting counters or choose from our fabulous menu for weekend breakfast or daily lunch. For further information please call 02 6372 1011.

Every Friday 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Friday Night After Work drinks @ Lawson Park Hotel

1 Church Street Mudgee.

Wind down after a hard weeks work with \$3 schooners, \$4 glasses of wine and hot bar snacks. For more information please call 02 6372 2183.

Every Friday 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Wine Tasting @ Lawson Park Hotel

1 Church Street, Mudgee

Not enough time to visit all the wineries? Each Friday, a Mudgee cellar door comes to the pub and treats patrons to a wine tasting.

For further information please call 02 6372 2183.

Every Saturday & Sunday

A Total Olive Experience @ The Olive Nest

Pipeclay Lane, Mudgee

A must see for visitors to Mudgee. See the olive press, talk to the growers, taste award winning varietal olive oils and gain a greater understanding of extra virgin Olive oil and its uses.

Open Saturday 10-4pm and 10-3pm on Sunday For further information please call 0418 112 655.

Every Saturday 11:30 AM

Come & Spit on Our Floor @ Pieter van Gent Winery

Blacksprings Road, Mudgee

Sample Pieter van Gent wines thieved from the barrel in our working barrel room. The morning concludes with tasting finished wines at our Cellar Door. Bookings are essential as there are a limited number of spaces. For bookings and further information please call 02 6373 3030.

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For further information please call 6372 2408.

Oct 2nd, 2010 (Sat) 6:30 PM

An Organic Feast @ Thistle Hill

McDonalds Road, Mudgee

For the ultimate evening of indulgence, join us for our Annual Organic Feast. You'll experience a three course feast prepared by this year's guest chef, Bechora Deeb of Deeb's Kitchen, each course perfectly match with our Premium Organic Wines. Cost \$95, bookings essential. A coach is available for \$10 pp return from town. For bookings and further information, please call 02 6373 3400 or email info@thistlehill.com.au

Oct 3rd, 2010 (Sun) 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Wagyu BBQ @ Gooree Park Wines

Gulgong Rd Mudgee

Grab a Wagyu steak or burger straight off the BBQ out at Gooree Park. Try some of Gooree Park's wines at the cellar whilst you are there. For further information please contact 02 6378 1800.

Oct 3rd, 2010 (Sun) 12:00 PM

Sunday Long Lunch @ Mudgee Railway Station Restaurant and Bar

Inglis Street Mudgee

Have a relaxing 4 course lunch and a glass of wine from local vineyard 'Moothi Estate' whilst listening to local musicians. The cost is \$40 per adult and \$10 for a 2 course children's meal. For bookings & more information please call 02 6372 1884.

Oct 3rd, 2010 (Sun) 7:00 PM

Indian Curry Night @ Burnbrae

548 Hill End Rd, Mudgee

Enjoy a feast of Indian curries at Burnbrae.

For further information please call 02 6373 3504.

Every Day

Regional Platters for 2 @ Burnbrae Winery & Vineyard

548 Hill End Road, Mudgee

Enjoy our platter for two on the verandah overlooking the vines, or under the majestic Peppercorn Tree in the garden. Platters include 2 cheeses, salami, olives, fruit, nuts and lavosh. Cost is \$20, platters are available 7 days a week. Open Monday-Saturday 9.00am - 5.00pm and Sunday 10am - 4pm.

For further information please call 02 6373 3504.

Every Day

Prince Hill Platters for 2 Every Day @ Prince Hill Wines

1220 Sydney Road, Mudgee

Enjoying the finest of regional cuisine, award winning wines and good old fashioned country hospitality. Our platters for two have an array of regional produce including High Valley Fetta, Mowats Tapenades & Grape Alternative Wine Jellies. The produce used has been specially selected to complement our Prince Hill Range of Wines. Four wines and food for only \$25 for two. Open Monday-Saturday 10am - 5pm and Sundays 10am - 4pm. For further information please call 02 6373 1245.

Every Day

DIY Cheese Plates @ Thistle Hill

74 McDonalds Road, Mudgee

Visit Thistle Hill and put together a DIY cheese plate from the 'Gourmet Pantry'. The 'Gourmet Pantry' is chock-full of fantastic local and organic products, including olives, tapenades, cheeses, gourmet pastes and chocolates. Have fun making your selections, then sit back on the deck and enjoy the sensational views. Open Monday-Saturday 10.00am-4.30pm, and Sunday 10.00am-4.00pm.

For further information please call 02 6373 3400.

Wine & Produce

Running Until Oct 4th, 2010 (Mon)

Local Wines @ Sajo's

22 Church St, Mudgee

Sajo's restaurant are joining with Louee and Lowes wines in September to bring you wines by the glass exclusive to Sajo's. Come in and try a Louee Sauvignon Blanc or Pinot Noir at a great price with a fantastic meal. Available until 4th October.

For further information contact 02 6372 2722.

Running Until Oct 4th, 2010 (Mon)

Mudgee on the Bus Tours

Full and half day Mudgee Region wine tours with accommodation pickup. Private groups are welcome. Flexible itinerary to suit needs of the group. For further information please call 0417 678 619 or 0427 726 373

Every Wednesday, Thursday & Friday Night

Happy Hour @ Sajo's Lounge Bar & Restaurant

22-24 Church Street, Mudgee

Every Wednesday, Thursday & Friday night, recession breaking happy hour. All cocktails \$10 between 5pm & 7pm.

For further information please call 02 6372 2722.

Every Wednesday 6:00 PM

Hump Day Wednesday @ Lawson Park Hotel

1 Church Street Mudgee.

Come along for the Monster Raffles from 6pm. Members draw and Showcase draw at 8pm. For further information call 02 6372 2183.

Every Thursday 10:00 PM

Party Starter Sessions @ Sajo's

22-24 Church Street, Mudgee

What's on at Sajo's? Party Starter Sessions every Thursday night from 10pm till late. With local DJ's downstairs live on the decks.

For further information please call 02 6372 2722.